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In re Application of:

Joel A. Horn et al.

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FOR MANAGING DATA AND WORKFLOW

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## AFFIDAVIT OF JOEL A. HORN

I, JOEL HORN, hereby state the following:

- 1. I am the President of Home Disc, Inc. ("Home Disc"). Home Disc's address is 4370 Crestone Circle, Broomfield, Colorado 80020.
- 2. Ian G. A. Lloyd, Ritesh Saraf, Theron J. Rubley, and I are the named joint inventors of the above-referenced application. At the time the subject matter claimed in the above-referenced application was invented, all were Home Disc employees. Mr. Lloyd left Home Disc's employ prior to the filing date of the application.
- 3. In my capacity as Home Disc's President, I have attempted to contact Mr. Lloyd multiple times. Initially, I attempted to reach Mr. Lloyd by telephone on March 15, 2004. The telephone call was placed to his last known mobile telephone number, which was disconnected. This was the only telephone number in my possession for Mr. Lloyd. Accordingly, I was unable to reach Mr. Lloyd by telephone.

4. On March 20, 2004, I contacted a mutual friend, Michael Culver. Mr. Culver informed me Mr. Lloyd had moved. Mr. Culver had no forwarding address or telephone number for Mr. Lloyd.

5. On May 15, 2004, I contacted directory assistance and requested the telephone number for Mr. Lloyd. Directory assistance had no such listings within the state of Colorado.

6. Accordingly, because Mr. Lloyd had moved and I was unable to ascertain a new or forwarding address, I was unable to present Mr. Lloyd with a copy of the application as filed and a Declaration for signature.

7. The last known address of Mr. Lloyd was 728 West Sylvester Trail, Highlands Ranch, Colorado 80129.

8. I have exerted diligent efforts to locate Mr. Lloyd, with no success.

This completes my statement.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. I understand that willful false statements may be punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, and may jeopardize the validity of the above-captioned application or any patent issuing therefrom. All statements made herein on my own knowledge are true, and all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true.

Executed on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of June, 2004.

Joel A/Horn
President

Home Disc, Inc.